

# 2003 Health and Preventive Practices Status Report

## from Missouri County-level Study



# DeKalb County\*\*

	County Prevalence (%)*	Northwest Region Prevalence (%)*	State Prevalence (%)*
<b>G</b> eneral			
Health Status (Fair or Poor)	20.1	18.5	16.9
No Health Coverage	12.8	12.1	12.3
<b>B</b> ehavioral Risk Factors			
Physical Inactivity	26.6	26.3	23.0
Current Smoker	29.6	27.3	26.5
Overweight (BMI 25-29.9)	39.5	38.0	35.3
Obese (BMI ≥ 30)	21.2	23.1	23.4
<b>D</b> isease and Conditions			
High Blood Pressure	25.7	28.4	28.5
High Cholesterol (35 years or older)	36.4	40.2	37.3
Asthma	7.5	9.3	10.7
Diabetes	8.4	6.3	7.2
Activity Limitation	10.6 L	17.5	17.8
<b>C</b> ancer Screening			
<i>Women</i>			
Never had a Mammogram	20.9	17.0	13.4
No Mammogram or Clinical Breast Exam in Last Year:			
40-49 years of age	58.3	44.1	49.4
50-64 years of age	41.3	45.8	35.9
65 and older	66.1 H	62.3 H	47.4
Never had a Pap Test:			
18-69 years of age	4.4	2.8	5.1
70 and older	20.5 H	12.6	6.4
No Pap Test in Last Year (18-29)	21.4	21.5	25.8
No Pap Test in Last 3 Years (30-69)	14.5	13.9	13.8
<i>Men and Women 50 Years or Older</i>			
Blood Stool Test:			
Never had a Blood Stool Test	53.7	51.0	57.0
No Blood Stool Test in Last Year	81.4	77.8	77.5
Sigmoidoscopy/Colonoscopy			
Never had a Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy	66.9 H	58.6 H	49.2
No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy in Past Five Years	72.8 H	68.6 H	57.0

\*Prevalence rates are age adjusted to the 2000 U.S. standard population

■ indicates that the prevalence rate is not significantly above or below state prevalence

H indicates that the prevalence rate is significantly above the state prevalence

L indicates that the prevalence rate is significantly below the state prevalence

Unless otherwise noted respondents are 18 years of age or older

\*\* The best indicators for DeKalb county were obtained by combining data from DeKalb, Worth and Gentry counties.